IT'S NOT TOO LATE
PUBLIC COMMENT IS INVITED
General Management Plan / Environmental Impact Statement

Over four years, with the help of the community, Valley Forge National Historical Park has developed a draft General Management Plan / Environmental Impact Statement (GMP/EIS). The draft plan is now ready for public review. The plan identifies the purpose and vision for the park and proposes four management alternatives for achieving that mission by addressing park operations, visitor use and enjoyment, cultural and natural resources management, traffic management, and general development. The potential human and environmental impacts of the alternatives are assessed.

The participation of the community has been an important part of developing this plan. We now request the community's thoughtful evaluation and comment on the alternatives. There is still time to read the plan and make comments.

The draft GMP/EIS is available for public review until April 10, 2007.

You can read an electronic copy of the plan by visiting http://parkplanning.nps.gov. That website also provides a convenient way for you to submit comments.

Printed copies are available at the park Welcome Center, at the Lower Providence Community Library, Tredyffrin Public Library, Phoenixville Public Library, Montgomery County-Norristown Public Library, Upper Merion Township Library. If you would like to receive a CD or a printed copy, please call:
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We thank you for your continuing interest and concern for the future of Valley Forge National Historical Park.